

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 15 - HB 22

January 22, 2023

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires a law enforcement officer conducting a formal interview or interrogation of a child taken into custody for suspicion of the commission of a delinquent act or unruly conduct to make a video or audio recording of the interview or interrogation. Provides an exception for a situation in which the officer, in good faith, believed the interview or interrogation was being recorded and there was a technical issue with the equipment preventing the recording, or exigent circumstances existed at the time of the interview or interrogation that prevented visual or audio recording.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- It is assumed that every law enforcement agency across the state is capable of making, at minimum, an audio recording of an interview or interrogation utilizing existing equipment or resources; therefore, any fiscal impact to state or local government is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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